

ENGINE COOLING SYSTEM

2110-01

GENERAL

1. GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Application		Unit	Gasoline Engine
Cooling System	Type	-	Water Cooling Forced Circulation
Coolant	Capacity	L	11.3
Thermostat	Type	-	Wax Pellet Type
	Initial Opening Temp.	°C (°F)	82 (180)
	Fully Opening Temp.	°C (°F)	95 (203)
	Fully Closing Temp.	°C (°F)	80 (176)
	Stroke	mm	7
Cooling Fan	Type	-	PWM
	Blades	-	5
	Diameter	mm	320
	Low Speed ON Temp.	°C (°F)	95 (203)
	Low Speed OFF Temp.	°C (°F)	90 (194)
	High Speed ON Temp.	°C (°F)	105 (221)
	High Speed OFF Temp.	°C (°F)	100 (212)
	High Speed ON Temp. (By A/C Pressure)	kPa (psi)	269.8 (1860)
Coolant Reservoir	Pressure Valve Opening Pressure	kPa (psi)	118 - 147 (17.1 - 21.3)
	Vacuum Valve Opening Pressure	kPa (psi)	9.8 (1.4)
Water Pump	Type	-	Turbo Centrifugal
	Impeller Diameter	mm	65
	Impeller Blades	-	8
Radiator	Type	-	Cross-flow
	Core Width	mm	701
	Core Height	mm	372
	Core Thickness	mm	18
Coolant Temperature Gauge	Minimum Radiation Capability	Kcal/h	45,000
	Resistance (at 50 °C (122°F))	Ω	185.2
	Resistance (at 80 °C (176°F))	Ω	47.4
	Resistance (at 105 °C (221°F))	Ω	28.2
Engine Coolant Temperature Sensor	Resistance (at 20 °C (68°F))	K Ω	3.33 - 37.8
	Resistance (at 80 °C (176°F))	K Ω	0.32 - 0.35
Anti-Freeze Agent	Type	-	ALUTEC-P78
	Mixture of Water and Good Quality Ethylene Glycol-Base Anti-Freeze	-	50 : 50

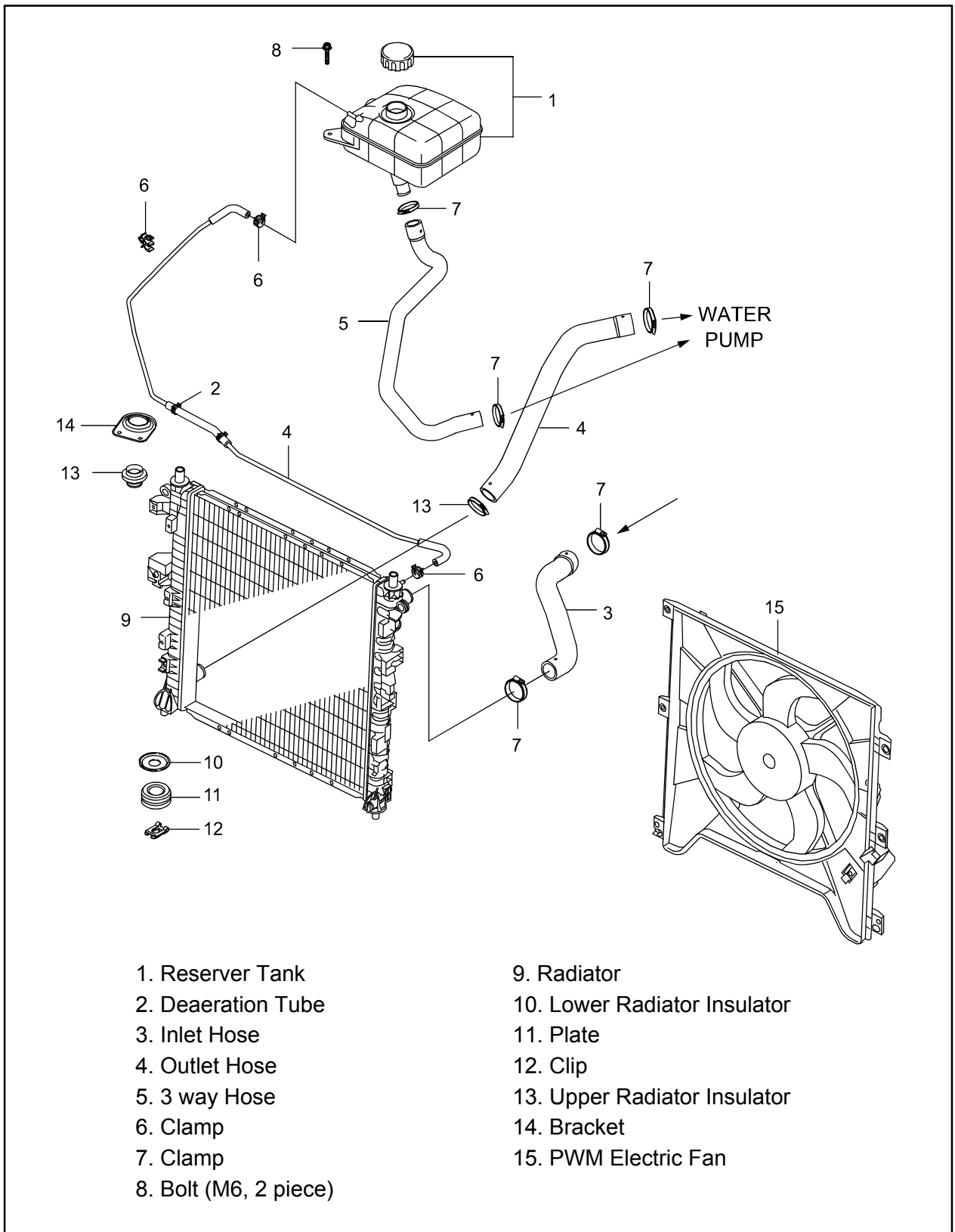
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2. FASTENER TIGHTENING SPECIFICATIONS

Application		Nm	Lb-Ft	Lb-In
Automatic Transmission Oil Cooler Pipe		20	15	-
Automatic Transmission Oil Cooler Pipe Mounting Bolt		3 - 7	-	27 - 62
Coolant Drain Plug		30	22	-
Cooling Fan Bolt		9 - 11	-	80 - 97
Cooling Fan Shroud Bolt		3 - 7	-	27 - 62
Oil Cooler Pipe Line Bolt		9 - 11	-	80 - 97
Radiator Mounting Bracket Bolt		3 - 7	-	27 - 62
Tensioning Device Shock Absorber Bolt		22.5 - 27.5	16.6 - 20.3	-
Thermostat Cover Bolt		9 - 11	-	80 - 97
Thermostat Housing Bolt	M6	9 - 11	-	80 - 97
	M8	22.5 - 27.5	16.6 - 20.3	-
Viscous Clutch Mounting Bolt		40.5 - 49.5	29.8 - 36.5	-
Water Pump Housing Bolt	M6	9 - 11	-	80 - 97
	M8	22.5 - 27.5	16.6 - 20.3	-
Water Pump Pulley Bolt		9 - 11	-	80 - 97

OVERVIEW AND OPERATION PROCESS

1. COMPONENT LOCATOR



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2. DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

1) General Description

The cooling system maintains the engine temperature at an efficient level during all engine operating conditions.

When the engine is cold, the cooling system cools the engine slowly or not at all. This slow cooling of the engine allows the engine to warm up quickly.

The cooling system includes a radiator and recovery subsystem, cooling fans, a thermostat and housing, a water pump, and a water pump drive belt. The timing belt drives the water pump.

All components must function properly for the cooling system to operation. The water pump draws the coolant from the radiator. The coolant then circulates through water jackets in the engine block, the intake manifold, and the cylinder head. When the coolant reaches the operating

temperature of the thermostat, the thermostat opens. The coolant then goes back to the radiator where it cools.

This system directs some coolant through the hoses to the heat core. This provides for heating and defrosting.

The coolant reservoir is connected to the radiator to recover the coolant displaced by expansion from the high temperatures. The coolant reservoir maintains the correct coolant level.

The cooling system for this vehicle has no radiator cap or filler neck. The coolant is added to the cooling system through the coolant reservoir.

2) Radiator

This vehicle has a lightweight tube-and-fin aluminum radiator. Plastic tanks are mounted on the upper and the lower sides of the radiator core.

On vehicles equipped with automatic transaxles, the transaxle fluid cooler lines run through the radiator tank.

A radiator drain plug is on this radiator.

To drain the cooling system, open the drain plug.

3) Coolant Reservoir

The coolant reservoir is a transparent plastic reservoir, similar to the windshield washer reservoir.

The coolant reservoir is connected to the radiator by a hose and to the engine cooling system by another hose.

As the vehicle is driven, the engine coolant heats and expands. The portion of the engine coolant displaced by this expansion flows from the radiator and the engine into the coolant reservoir. The air trapped in the radiator and the engine is degassed into the coolant reservoir.

When the engine stops, the engine coolant cools and contracts. The displaced engine coolant is then drawn back into the radiator and the engine. This keeps the radiator filled with the coolant to the desired level at all times and increases the cooling efficiency.

Maintain the coolant level between the MIN and MAX marks on the coolant reservoir when the system is cold.

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4) Water Pump

The belt-driven centrifugal water pump consists of an impeller, a drive shaft, and a belt pulley. The impeller is supported by a completely sealed bearing.

The water pump is serviced as an assembly and, therefore, cannot be disassembled.

5) Thermostat

A wax pellet-type thermostat controls the flow of the engine coolant through the engine cooling system. The thermostat is mounted in the thermostat housing to the front of the cylinder head.

The thermostat stops the flow of the engine coolant from the engine to the radiator to provide faster warm-up, and to regulate the coolant temperature. The thermostat remains closed while the engine coolant is cold, preventing circulation of the engine coolant through the radiator. At this point, the engine coolant is allowed to circulate only throughout the heater core to warm it quickly and evenly.

As the engine warms, the thermostat opens. This allows the engine coolant to flow through the radiator where the heat is dissipated. This opening and closing of the thermostat permits enough engine coolant to enter the radiator to keep the engine within proper engine temperature operating limits.

The wax pellet in the thermostat is hermetically sealed in a metal case. The wax element of the thermostat expands when it is heated and contracts when it is cooled.

As the vehicle is driven and the engine warms, the engine coolant temperature increases. When the engine coolant reaches a specified temperature, the wax pellet element in the thermostat expands and exerts pressure against the metal case, forcing the valve open. This allows the engine coolant to flow through the engine cooling system and cool the engine.

As the wax pellet cools, the contraction allows a spring to close the valve.

The thermostat begins to open at 82 °C (180 °F) and is fully open at 95 °C (203 °F). The thermostat closes at 80 °C (176 °F).

6) Electric Cooling Fan

CAUTION

- Keep hands, tools, and clothing away from the engine cooling fans to help prevent personal injury.

This fan is electric and can turn on even when the engine is not running.

CAUTION

- If a fan blade is bent or damaged in any way, no attempt should be made to repair or reuse the damaged part. A bent or damaged fan assembly should always be replaced with a new one to prevent possible injury.

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The cooling fans are mounted behind the radiator in the engine compartment. The electric cooling fans increase the flow of air across the radiator fins and across the condenser on air conditioned (A/C)-equipped vehicles.

This helps to speed cooling when the vehicle is at idle or moving at low speeds.

All models have two fans. The main fan is 320 mm (12.6 inches) in diameter with seven blades to aid the airflow through the radiator and the condenser. An electric motor attached to the radiator support drives the fan.

The auxiliary fan is 320 mm (12.6 inches) in diameter.

► A/C Off or Non-AC Model

- The cooling fans are actuated by the engine control module (ECM) using a low-speed cooling fan relay, a high-speed cooling fan relay and a cooling fan motor relay.
- The ECM will turn the cooling fans on at low speed when the coolant temperature reaches 95 °C (203 °F) and at high speed when the coolant temperature reaches 105 °C (221 °F).
- The ECM will change the cooling fans from high speed to low speed at 100 °C (212 °F) and will turn the cooling fans off at 90 °C (194 °F).

► A/C On

- The ECM will turn the cooling fans on at low speed when the A/C system is on. The ECM will change to high speed when the high side A/C pressure reaches 1860 kPa (269.8 psi).
- The cooling fans will return to low speed when the high side A/C pressure reaches 1378 kPa (199.8 psi).

7) Engine Coolant Temperature Sensor

The Engine Coolant Temperature (ECT) sensor uses a temperature to control the signal voltage to the Engine Control Module (ECM).

8) Coolant Temperature Gauge

The coolant temperature gauge controls the instrument panel temperature indicator. The coolant temperature gauge is located with ECT sensor.

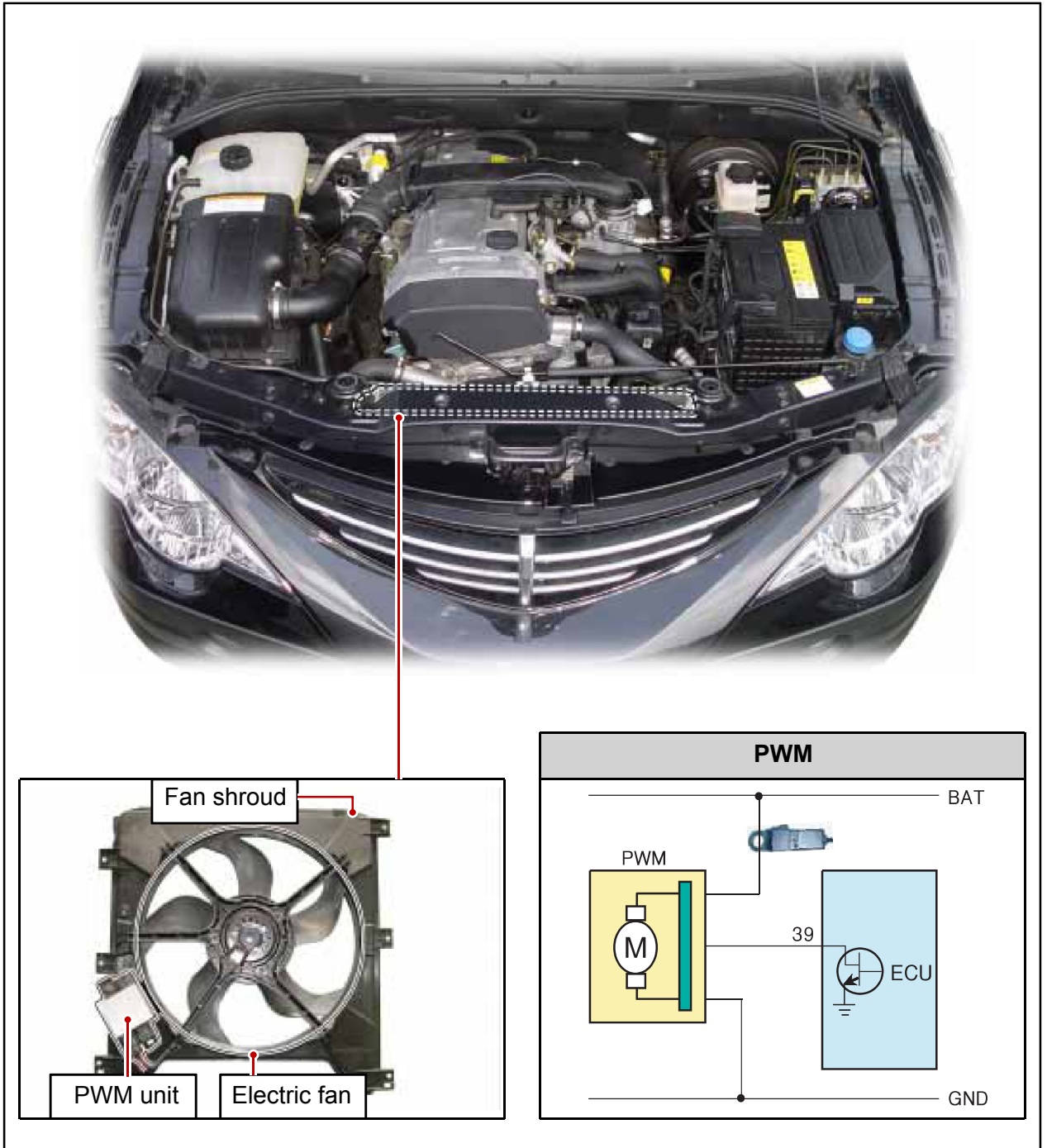
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3. PWM (PULSE WIDTH MODULATION) ELECTRIC FAN OPERATION

1) Function

The PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) high capacity electric fan is installed instead of electric condenser fan to enhance the durability and controllability and reduce noise.

2) Mounting Location



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3) PWM Electric Fan

(1) Advantages and Disadvantages of the PWM Electric Fan



► Advantages

- Enhanced A/C performance: at low speed, at idling, driving in city
- Reduction of vibration/noise: fan activated by PWM only when necessary
- Reduction of engine consuming power (V/Fan driving force) by 4 Hp - Cost saving

► Disadvantage

- Poor engine cooling performance at low and high rpm

4) PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) Unit



It controls the time of the output voltage to control the fan motor speed independently.

► Internal functions

- Motor power shutting-off function when overcurrent is applied
- Adverse voltage prevention function
- Detection function for the motor lock
- Temperature detecting function: The electric fan operates at FULL speed to cool down the PWM unit when the interior temperature of PWM unit is over 120~150°C.
- Communication function when failing: The fail signal is transmitted to the ECU when the PWM unit is malfunctioning.
- Soft start function: The motor speed is gradually increased when the motor is initially operated.

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5) Shutting-off Condition of the A/C Compressor

► Coolant temperature

- When coolant temperature is below 20°C or over 115°C, engine speed is below 650 rpm or over 4500 rpm for 4 seconds after engine starting, abrupt acceleration and A/C refrigerant pressure sensor detecting the followings
- A/C compressor is turned off when the refrigerant pressure is below 2.0 kg/cm² and then is turned on when the refrigerant pressure is over 2.4 kg/cm².
- A/C compressor is turned off when the refrigerant pressure is over 30 kg/cm² and then is turned on when the refrigerant pressure is below 21.4 kg/cm².

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